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SENATE BILL 188

49TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2009

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FOR THE INDIAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE AND THE
RADIOACTIVE AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS COMMITTEE

AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR A COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF AQUIFERS
IN THE GRANTS MINERAL BELT AFFECTED BY PAST URANIUM MINING AND
MILLING ACTIVITIES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--Six hundred fifty thousand
dollars (\$650,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the
board of regents of the New Mexico institute of mining and
technology for expenditure in fiscal year 2010 for the New
Mexico bureau of geology and mineral resources to conduct a
comprehensive study to characterize aquifers within the San
Mateo basin affected by past uranium mining and milling
activities in the Grants mineral belt in New Mexico. Any
unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of
fiscal year 2010 shall revert to the general fund.

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